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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Please enter the following amendments to the specification, claims and abstract prior to the examination of the application.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

A substitute specification and a marked-up copy thereof is attached herewith.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend Claims 1-9 as follows (a marked-up version of the amended claims is attached hereto):

(Amended) A display device having a display unit, comprising a scale with graphic information and an indicator element which is aligned as a function of at least one input parameter with a position of the scale, wherein a